Military Feature Given By Tech. Alumni Association

Speakers' Table.

Five hundred enthusiastic alumni met last Saturday evening at the Copp-ley Plaza at the annual banquet of the Alumni Association. Governor McCull, who was one of the special guests of the evening, was a little late in arriving, but was vociferously greeted as he took his place at the speakers' table.

Hardly had he taken his seat when a full-fledged feature, presented by one of the freshman regiments, brought the assembly to its feet. With the band playing "Hail to the Chief" and amidst the deafening cheers of the guests, forty Technology Cadets, led by Lieutenant Lamphrey of Salem. McFarland had little trouble in throwing Lamphrey out. The next bout was between Todd, a new man for Technology, and Maddox who has wrestled at

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WRESTLING MEET WON BY SECOND TEAM MEN

Salem Y. M. C. A. Defeated Saturday Night—New Men Show Up Very Well.

Technology won its second practice wrestling meet of the season Saturday night when the second team defeated the Salem Y. M. C. A. by the score of 18 to 8. Throughout the entire meet, the Technology men showed up well and the bouts that were won were taken decisively, while the two lost were very close.

The greater part of the team was composed of new material, the men being either in their first or second meet; all of which made the outcome more encouraging.

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JUNIORS TRIUMPHANT IN INTERCLASS MEET

Win Four Firsts Out Of Seven Events—Gustaving Sets A New Mark.

For the third time the class of 1917 won the annual indoor interclass track meet. The points made by each class were 31.12 for the seniors, 13.12 for the freshmen, and 18 for the Sophomores.

The mile run was the most interesting event of the afternoon, the winner, Brown '16, receiving the Harvey Benson cup. At the start Brown, Stephens, Parker and Herzig took the lead. A mixup between Brown and Herzig at the end of the second lap left Parker taking the lead, which he held to the half mile mark. Brown, trailed by McCutern again took the lead and the two latter finished in the order named with barely a yard between them. Brown's time was 4 min. 49.3-5 sec.

The quarter-mile run may be taken as an indication of who will run on the relay team next year. The four leaders were Gustaving '16, Reed '16, R. B.'19, and 'Scranton '19. Gustaving's time, 2 min. 59.3 sec., broke the Technology indoor record for this event, being 56 3-5 sec. less.

He held the lead all the way and finished eight yards ahead of Reed and the two freshmen.

In the half-mile Hamilton '18 barely managed to win over McCloskey '19, his margin being only a foot. McCloskey led for the greater part of the race but did not have the finishing powers of his rival.

The 35-yard dash gave an opportunity to see Loomis '16 and O'Hara '17 pitted against each other. O'Hara won the final in 4 2-5 seconds, Loomis, being 6 seconds behind and being the other point winners.

TECHNOLOGY BOARD


At the meeting of Technique Board held last Friday afternoon, James Sherry O'Brien '17, of Winthrop, was elected to the position of First Assistant Business Manager, following a two month's competition. The Second Assistant will be elected shortly from the remaining candidates.

The free book prize for the best set of answers to the Statistics questions was awarded to H. E. Lobdell '17.

SHOW MUSIC

Tomorrow afternoon at 5:00 o'clock a committee of judges, including Mr. Howard, will meet in the Union to make the final selection of music for the Tech Show. All composers must be prepared to play their scores at that time.

HOCKEY TEAM LOSSES TO DARTMOUTH SEVEN

Wannamaker Plays For Technology—Green Scores One Goal In Each Half.

The Institute Hockey team was defeated for the second time this season by Dartmouth last Saturday at Hanover by the score of 2-0, the game being Dartmouth's first at home. Conditions were poor, the rough ice breaking up the offensive play, Wannamaker played at center for the Technology seven.

The goals were scored, one in each period, the first coming after 4 minutes and 30 seconds of play and the second after 12 minutes and 10 seconds. Green scored the first on a long pass from Haycroft and Murchie the second by a sensational long shot.

The lineup:

Dartmouth: Holmav '16, Blackford lw, Haycroft rw, Smith rw, Cousins rw, Tyler c, Geman r, Murchie cr, Gale, Walker p, Carrier p, Morse g.

Tech: Clark rw, Tuttle lw, Thomas lw, Wannamaker c, Woodward r, Cochrane cp, Swain b, Johnson g.

TALK ON SOCIALISM

Rev. R. G. Mills To Speak In Union Tuesday Night.

Next Tuesday noon, under the auspices of the M. T. Forum, Rev. R. Grover Mills will speak in the Union on Socialism. Mr. Mills is at present the president of the "Fabian Club," an organization which first met in England some years earlier under the direction of Mr. Bernard Shaw, and also is presiding officer at the School of Social Science. For several years, the speaker was pastor of the Unitarian church in Watertown and then became active in a much larger field as New England Secretary of the Free Religious Association.

C. E. SOCIETY

The Civil Engineering Society will hold its first meeting of the second term on February 11. Professor Ralph E. Cram, head of Course IV, will be the speaker.

CALENDAR

Monday, January 10, 1916.

1.00—3219 Governing Board Picture, Bahchicha.

5.00—Tech Show Music Competition, Union.

5.00—Glee Club Rehearsal, Room B, Union.

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W. JOSEPH LITTELFIELD.17.

To the Editor of The Tech:

One of the chief opportunities offered to American students at the Institute is the chance to meet and become well acquainted with their foreign born classmates. The best way, of course, to do this, is to join the American Delegation of the Cosmopolitan Club. As this is chosen by membership, all may not avail themselfs of this advantage, but all may use the second best method, which is to attend the public entertainments which the Club presents.

The first of this year's open entertainments is our annual "Chinese Night," which is to be held in the Boston Hotel Wednesday at 8 p.m. The committee from the Chinese Delegation which has made arrangements mentions Chinese dishes and music, and also, I believe, will offer "Chinese Folk." It is to be a lovely night, and is open to all students free. If there are any American students who might desire to attend, they are cordially invited to come.

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Some seem to have taken the great step of moving to a new site and equipping ourselves for greater effort just at the right psychological moment. Alone we should have been able to do great things, but our power for usefulness at this juncture in the world's history must have been greatly increased by an alliance with Harvard University, made as it has been made just at the right time. Great things will depend in large measure on the steps that we take now.

I have been asked to say something as to the position in which we now find ourselves regarding our building program. There has been much talk of building during the past few years, but I hope you all recognize in large buildings and better equipment only means to a great educational end. When we started out a few years ago our building program included the purchase of a site for the erection of educational buildings and their adequate equipment with machinery and the like, the building of modern power houses with modern experiences, a provision for dormitories, a restaurant, a gymnasium and a social center, the last two having been spoken of for many years as the Walker Memorial. The program was an ambitious one, involving for its successful completion the expenditure of many millions, far more than any individual who has not looked into the matter carefully can appreciate. In the last few years we have been extremely fortunate in the financial support that we have obtained, so much so that many of our friends, including many of our alumni, have formed the very erroneous opinion that we don't need any more help. Now, I want you to clearly understand that this is not true, but that of the many millions needed to complete the program as outlined we have secured so much that only half a million is now needed to finish the whole plan. I need not say that this does not leave us short on the matter of equipment.

I have been asked to say something about the Walker Memorial, which in my opinion has not yet been begun. I need not assure you that I am as anxious as anyone else to see it not only begun, but finished, and am ready to make as liberal an appropriation as possible from any funds that may be available for such a purpose, provided always that this does not interfere with our educational opportunity that lies before us. We need some more money for equipment and we need considerably more money for the Walker Memorial which, as I have stated before, I combine a gymnasium, restaurant and social center for the students. I know that there has been some criticism because the Walker Memorial has not yet been begun. I need not assure you that I am as anxious as anyone else to see it not only begun, but finished, and am ready to make as liberal an appropriation as possible. I am confident that this does not leave us short on the matter of equipment.

“SOMETHING TO COMMEMORATE"  
On the occasion of the Technical Reunion, June, and it will be most disappointing to me and to you if the Walker Memorial is not well under way before that, and it will be under way if you take the financial problem in hand and deal with it vigorously and efficiently, just as the Technology alumni are always expected to do. You are the ones who have made all the difference in the Alumni Fund Committee and its activities. Probably all here have contributed largely to that fund, but there is a great many others who have not contributed at all and there are probably many who in their enthusiasm and generosity are ready to contribute more. The Fund Committee has considered that its campaign has been completed and I have therefore asked it to complete the campaign. If you wish, you can hereon mark every dollar that you contribute to the Walker Memorial, rest assured that the most urgent need that can be appreciated of the funds that come to the Institute within the next few months will go to the completion of that building. I have always felt that it would be a great mistake to begin the building on any inadequate plan or carry it through in any other way than the best. We must have a permanent and truly worthy memorial to the greatest president whom we wish to honor, and I confidently rely on Technology.

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...men everywhere to see that we have such a Memorial and have it soon."

The next speaker was Samuel Insull, President of the Commonwealth Edison Co. of Chicago, who emphasized the growing importance and uses of electricity in the United States, saying that in a few years to come, owing to the enormous advances made by the use of high-power turbines, the probability was that most of the railroads would be completely electrified.

The banquet was appropriately completed with an address by Charles A. Stone, ’88, the newly elected President of the Alumni Association, who spoke as follows:

"I appreciate more than I can express the honor which your association has conferred upon me in electing me your president for the ensuing year, and shall endeavor to carry out the trust which you have imposed to the best of my ability.

"...I shall expect, be an eventful one for the Institute in all its branches; perhaps the most eventful in its history. We are to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of the foundation by a reunion of the members of the Alumni Association, which we expect will be the greatest gathering of its kind ever held, and will bring together between 3000 and 5000 men.

"The days fixed for these important functions are June 12, 13 and 14. The first day will be devoted principally to a farewell to the old buildings and an introduction to the new.

"Tuesday, the 13th, will be fete day, with an excursion for everyone to Nantasket during the day; a pageant in the evening.

"Wednesday will be mainly devoted to the work, with dedicatory Exercises in the Great Court during the day, and the Alumni Banquet in the evening.

"The program would seem to fairly well fill in the time for three days, but I assure you this is not all. The ever-ingenious executive committee of this reunion, Mr. Litchfield, has planned innumerable lunches, teas, smokes, dinners, cheers, and other stunts which make one's head swim.

"The educational group of buildings will be practically completed by the first of June, and the dormitories ready for occupancy in the Fall; the gymnasium and Walker Memorial will surely, I hope, be under way. The fixtures and equipment of the buildings will not be installed until after the middle of June, but this

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CHEMICAL SOCIETY

Last Friday evening at the Union, the Chemical Society held one of the best meetings of the year. The topic of the meeting was "Engineering Efficiency." Dr. Lewis of the Chemical Engineering Department spoke on the Taylor System of Efficiency Engineering.

Mr. Magnus Alexander, head of the Department of Economic Problems of the Lynn General Electric Co., spoke on "The Hering and Pricing of Men". Owing to the rush of war business, the trip to the Edison plant at East Orange has been canceled. The next meeting of the Society will be Friday, Feb. 18. The chief speaker will be Mr. Alexander Smith, of Columbia.

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